Sarkaria Commission's Recommendations

*86. SHRIMATI RENUKA CHOWDHURY:

SHRI A. G. KULKARNI:

Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) whether the recommendations of the Sarkaria Commission on Centre-State relations have been examined by Government;

(b) if not, what are the reasons therefor; and

(c) by when the recommendations are likely to be implemented?

THE MINISTER OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI BUTA SINGH): (a) to (c) Examination of the recommendation of the Commission on Centre-State relations has been initiated. It has been decided to take into consideration the comments of State Governments, views of Parliament and members of public before taking decisions on the recommendations of the Commission.

Inflow of foreign funds into Orissa

*87. SHRI BASUDEB MOHAPATRA: Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that foreign funds are being pumped into Orissa through some voluntary organizations; if so, what are the details thereof;

(b) what is the quantum of funds received by these organizations during the financial years 1985 to 1988, yearwise; and

(c) what steps Government have taken or propose to take effectively curb misuse of such funds?

THE MINISTER OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI BUTA SINGH): (a) and (b) Foreign contributions are being received by various organisations in Orissa. As the information of receipt of foreign contributions is being maintained on calendar year basis, the detials are as follows:—

Year	Amount of foreign contribution reported to have been received
1985 . . .	Rs. 4 45 Crores
1986 . . .	Rs. 7.82 Crores
1987 . . .	Rs. 8 00 Crores (appx.)

(c) A Monitoring Cell has been set up for keeping an effective check on the violations of the foreign contribution (Regulation) Act, 1976. Accounts and intimations furnished by the recipient organisations are scrutinised by them and in case any violation of the Act is noticed, action is taken in accordance with the provisions of the Act.

Low disbursement rates of IFCI

*88. SHRI KAMAL MORARKA: Will the Minister of FINANCE be be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that actual disbursements of Industrial Finance Corporation of India are only 55 per cent of the total sanctioned assistance;

(b) if so, what are the major reasons for such low disbursements.

(c) whether completion of projects is affected due to non-disbursement of sanctioned assistance in time; and

(d) whether Government feel that IFCI management needs to be improved?

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